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# **Periodicals**

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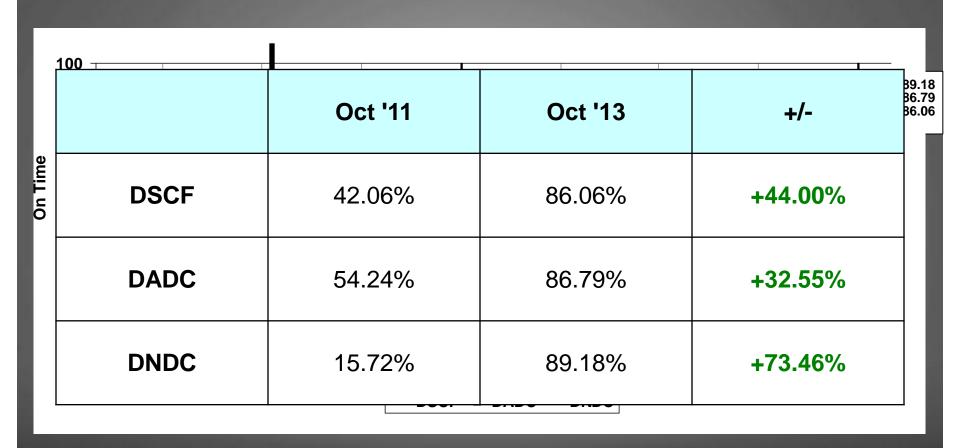


# Agenda

- Periodicals Service Performance
- End-to-End Diagnostics
- Last Mile Impact Levels
- Surface Visibility Expansion
- NYC Carrier Bundle Update
- Barcode Scan % Engineering vs. ACS
- Single Source ACS
- Fpars
- IMb In-Home Scans

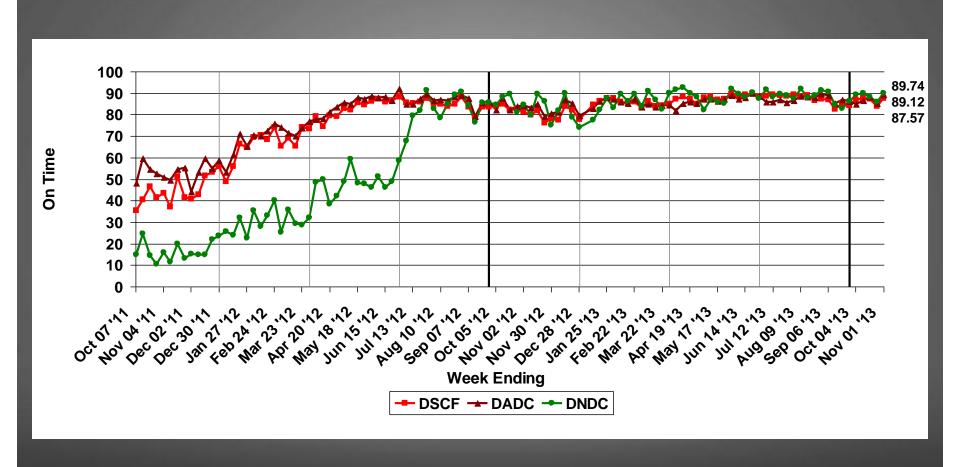


# Destination Entry Periodicals FY12 and FY14 Performance By Month



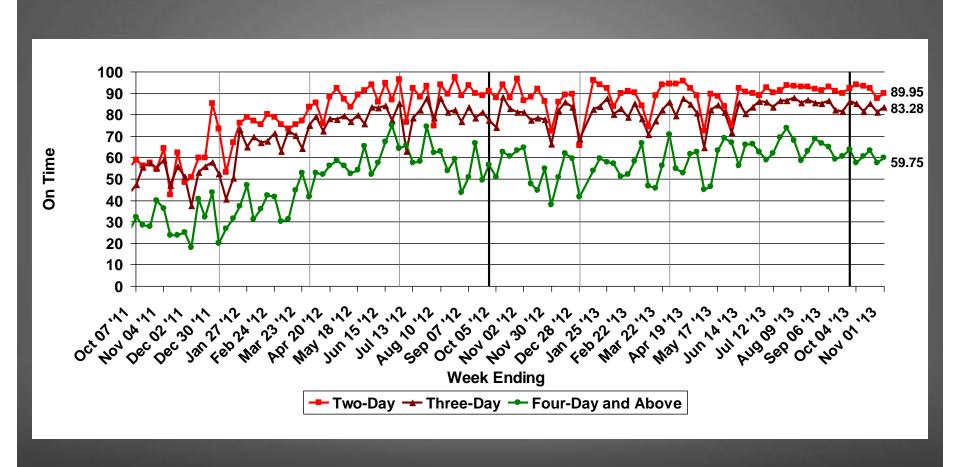


### Destination Entry IMb™ Periodicals FY12 to FY14 Performance By Week through Nov 1, 2013





### Origin Entry IMb™ Periodicals FY12 to FY14 Performance By Week through Nov 1, 2013





E2E Flats

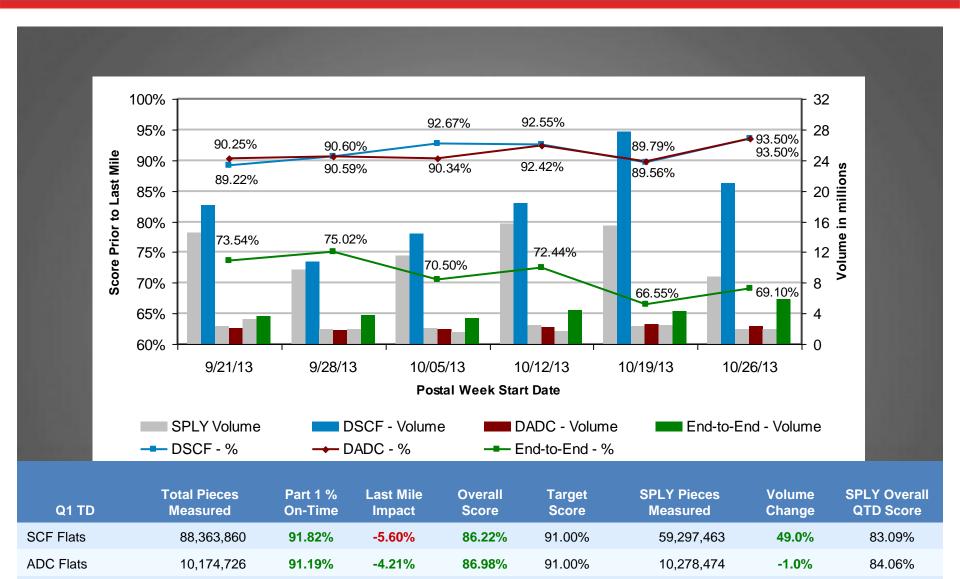
**Total** 

20,032,778

118,571,364

69.74%

-2.62%



**81.15**% **78**Note: Total scores include additional entry types not shown above.

67.12%

91.00%

9,053,532

78,629,469

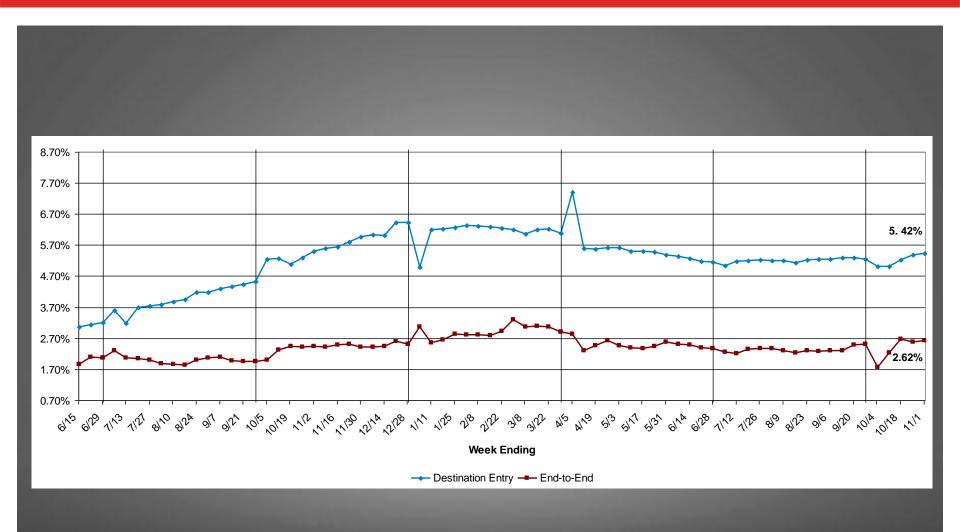
121.3%

50.8%

70.06%

81.84%

### **Periodicals Last Mile Impact Trend**





### **Commercial Mail Last Mile Impact**

### Periodicals: Destination Entry Q4 FY13

### Top 10

Facility	Volume	% On-time	LMI	Overall % On-time	
Greensboro	5,031,607	97.72%	-1.65%	96.07%	
Northern Virginia	4,726,381	98.39%	-2.33%	96.06%	
Mid-Carolinas	5,083,608	97.64%	-2.72%	94.92%	
Arizona	6,065,325	97.51%	-3.14%	94.37%	
Baltimore	3,351,108	96.81%	-4.23%	92.58%	
Capital	2,356,801	94.12%	-2.13%	91.99%	
Sierra Coastal	5,414,066	97.24%	-5.63%	91.61%	
Oklahoma	2,489,051	97.56%	-5.97%	91.59%	
Richmond	4,870,239	95.26%	-3.79%	91.47%	
San Diego	4,799,627	96.20%	-4.84%	91.36%	

### Bottom 10

Facility	Volume	% On-time	LMI	Overall % On-time	
Philadelphia Metro	5,532,589	77.55%	-7.48%	70.07%	
Honolulu	225,453	78.58%	-8.08%	70.50%	
Mississippi	660,366	82.38%	-8.35%	74.03%	
Portland	2,258,334	80.25%	-5.54%	74.71%	
Caribbean	102,313	79.66%	-3.95%	75.71%	
Seattle	3,201,677	81.59%	-5.80%	75.79%	
Northern New Jersey	5,495,823	86.32%	-7.43%	78.89%	
Northland	4,400,977	90.50%	-11.48%	79.02%	
New York	1,871,566	88.33%	-8.40%	79.93%	
Westchester	2,190,813	86.50%	-6.35%	80.15%	



**Facility** 

Detroit Arkansas Dallas

Triboro Capital

Alabama

Northern Virginia

Northern Ohio

Mid-America Central Plains

### **Commercial Mail Last Mile Impact**

### Periodicals: End to End Q4 FY13

### Top 10

721,921

668,606

1,622,250

1,863,774

olume	% On-time	LMI	Overall % On-time
2,233,235	90.11%	-2.63%	87.48%
1,645,565	88.59%	-2.11%	86.48%
1,061,504	86.83%	-1.89%	84.94%
2,053,603	86.67%	-2.73%	83.94%
L,482,591	85.25%	-2.40%	82.85%
881,085	84.86%	-2.34%	82.52%

-1.94%

-2.25%

-2.98%

-2.73%

81.98%

80.76%

80.16%

80.15%

83.92%

83.01%

83.14%

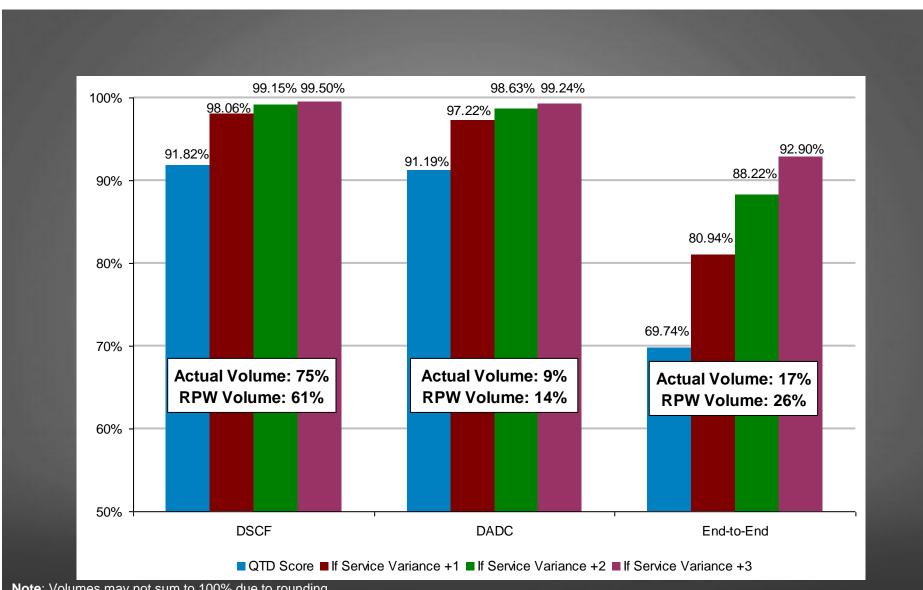
82.88%

#### Bottom 10

Facility	Volume	% On-time	LMI	Overall % On-time					
San Francisco	314,100	40.88%	-1.79%	39.09%					
Mid-Carolinas	965,281	53.82%	-1.86%	51.96%					
Portland	351,601	57.79%	-1.82%	55.97%					
Fort Worth	2,106,708 61	61.61%	-2.59% -2.08% -5.71%	59.02% 59.69% 61.50%					
Suncoast		61.77%							
South Florida		67.21%							
Lakeland	1,043,462	65.78%	-3.14%	62.64%					
Seattle	1,280,121	64.95%	-1.72%	63.23%					
Central Illinois	6,634,638	65.80%	-2.14%	63.66%					
Caribbean	7,959,902	67.16%	-3.39%	63.77%					



### Periodicals (Flats) by Service Variance



Note: Volumes may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Note: RPW Volumes were estimated using basic entry type proportions obtained from Pricing. DNDC and DDU Volumes were not included in the chart.



### Periodicals (SCF) Flats Top Impact Sites

SCF Flats – Q1	10/01-	10/25		SCF Flats — 10/19 — 10/25					
Facility	% On-time	% of Total failures	% Score impact	Facility	% On-time	% of Total failures	% Score impact		
PHILADELPHIA	79.33%	4.37%	0.48%	SAN DIEGO	81.09%	4.15%	0.51%		
CHICAGO METRO SURFACE HUB	86.30%	4.24%	0.47%	LOS ANGELES	83.85%	3.96%	0.49%		
OAKLAND	74.95%	3.87%	0.43%	TAMPA L&DC	32.38%	3.77%	0.47%		
TAMPA L&DC	52.16%	3.33%	0.37%	SANTA CLARITA	88.13%	3.53%	0.44%		
NORTH TEXAS	69.27%	3.00%	0.33%	CHICAGO METRO SURFACE HUB	84.18%	3.52%	0.44%		
CENTRAL MA	86.26%	2.73%	0.30%	PHILADELPHIA	84.99%	2.98%	0.37%		
LOS ANGELES	89.88%	2.53%	0.28%						
PORTLAND	63.55%	2.37%	0.26%	OAKLAND	78.09%	2.81%	0.35%		
DOMINICK V DANIELS	87.07%	2.27%	0.25%	BOSTON	81.22%	2.60%	0.32%		
CHICAGO NDC	88.24%	2.16%	0.24%	MID ISLAND	76.60%	2.60%	0.32%		
SOUTH FLORIDA L & DC	90.46%	2.08%	0.23%	CENTRAL MA WESTCHESTER	83.69% 80.87%	2.44%	0.30%		
KANSAS CITY	88.63%	2.07%	0.23%	SOUTH FLORIDA L & DC	88.67%	2.37%	0.29%		
BOSTON	87.51%	2.07%	0.23%	KANSAS CITY	85.54%	2.36%	0.29%		
MID ISLAND	84.60%	2.02%	0.22%	NORTH TEXAS	73.06%	2.34%	0.29%		
SAN DIEGO	87.70%	1.93%	0.21%	DOMINICK V DANIELS	87.05%	2.27%	0.28%		
HARRISBURG	48.68%	1.78%	0.20%	COLUMBUS	83.54%	2.13%	0.26%		
SEATTLE	76.59%	1.76%	0.19%	BROOKLYN	74.78%	1.93%	0.24%		
SPRINGFIELD LDC	91.97%	1.73%	0.19%	PHILADELPHIA NDC	46.96%	1.80%	0.22%		
BROOKLYN	83.28%	1.65%	0.18%	SEATTLE	76.11%	1.76%	0.22%		
WESTCHESTER	87.59%	1.62%	0.18%	TRENTON	85.97%	1.55%	0.19%		



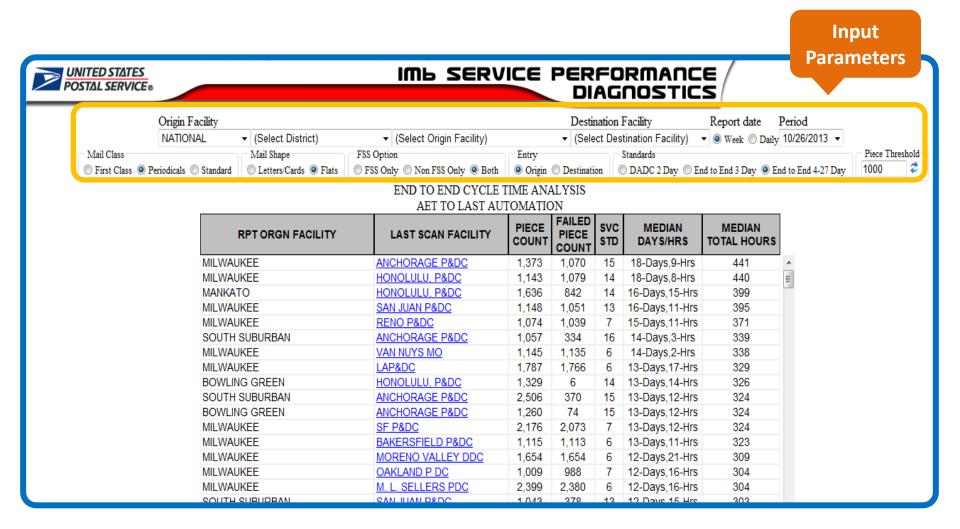
### Periodicals (ADC) Flats Top Impact Sites

ADC Flats – Qa	10/01-	- 10/25	ADC Flats — 10/19 — 10/25						
Facility	% On-time	% of Total failures	% Score impact	Facility	% On-time	% of Total failures	% Score impact		
TAMPA L&DC	68.72%	6.12%	0.79%	TAMPA L&DC	58.31%	9.05%	1.30%		
SPRINGFIELD LDC	65.78%	5.57%	0.72%	SPRINGFIELD LDC	64.94%	4.69%	0.67%		
PORTLAND	79.27%	4.55%	0.59%	BOSTON	73.85%	4.38%	0.63%		
BOSTON	74.77%	4.12%	0.54%	CHICAGO NDC	70.31%	3.82%	0.55%		
PITTSBURGH LDC	85.03%	3.16%	0.41%	SEATTLE	79.13%	3.54%	0.51%		
CHICAGO NDC	77.50%	3.16%	0.41%	DOMINICK V DANIELS	74.91%	3.21%	0.46%		
NORTH TEXAS	84.03%	3.15%	0.41%	PITTSBURGH LDC	86.59%	2.99%	0.43%		
DOMINICK V DANIELS	80.72%	3.09%	0.40%	CHICAGO METRO SURFACE HUB	83.60%	2.54%	0.36%		
SEATTLE	83.88%	2.83%	0.37%	DES MOINES	79.67%	2.53%	0.36%		
CHICAGO METRO SURFACE HUB	85.42%	2.82%	0.37%	PORTLAND	88.31%	2.38%	0.34%		
SOUTH FLORIDA L & DC	84.54%	2.66%	0.35%	NORTH TEXAS	86.25%	2.36%	0.34%		
MINNEAPOLIS SAINT PAUL NDC	91.16%	2.52%	0.33%	MILWAUKEE PRIORITY ANNEX	88.50%	2.33%	0.33%		
DES MOINES	83.27%	2.42%	0.31%	ALBANY	43.28%	2.32%	0.33%		
SAN ANTONIO	91.36%	2.04%	0.26%	SOUTH FLORIDA L & DC	85.02%	2.31%	0.33%		
CLEVELAND	85.77%	1.91%	0.25%	FARGO	70.21%	2.30%	0.33%		
ALBANY	62.29%	1.74%	0.23%	MINNEAPOLIS SAINT PAUL NDC	92.82%	2.10%	0.30%		
MILWAUKEE PRIORITY ANNEX	92.21%	1.72%	0.22%	QUEENS	82.37%	2.08%	0.30%		
SAINT LOUIS METRO ANNEX	88.93%	1.54%	0.20%	SPOKANE	67.48%	1.99%	0.28%		
DENVER MAIL PROCESSING ANX	92.27%	1.52%	0.20%	SAN ANTONIO	92.74%	1.77%	0.25%		
QUEENS	89.35%	1.48%	0.19%	MID ISLAND	73.26%	1.70%	0.24%		

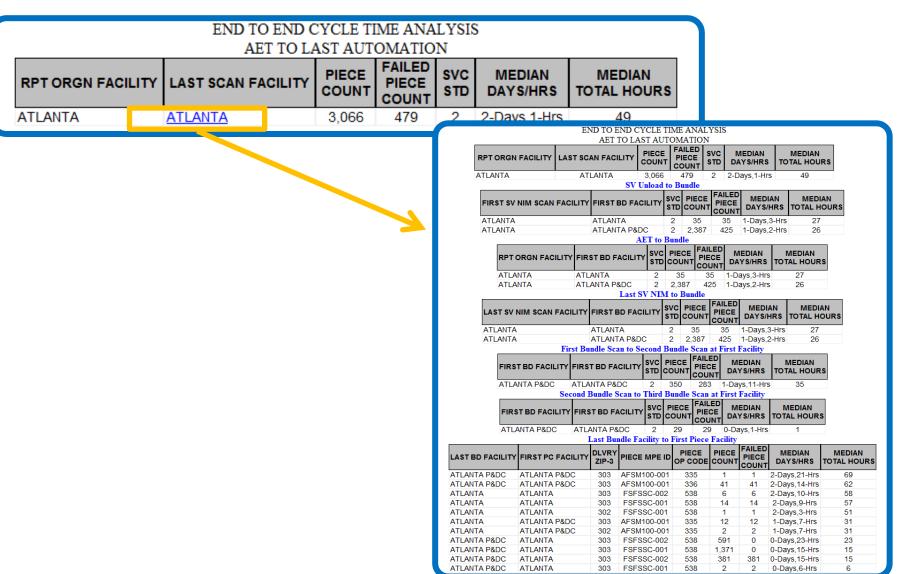




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SV Unload to Bundle								
FIRST SV NIM SCAN FACILITY	FIRST BD FACILITY	SVC STD	PIECE	FAILED PIECE COUNT	IVII—I DI A NI	MEDIAN TOTAL HOURS		
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	2	35	35	1-Days,3-Hrs	27		
ATLANTA	ATLANTA P&DC	2	2,387	425	1-Days,2-Hrs	26		

	AET to Bundle									
RPT ORGN FACILITY FIRST BD FACILITY		SVC STD	PIECE COUNT	FAILED PIECE COUNT	MEDIAN	MEDIAN TOTAL HOURS				
	ATLANTA	ATLANTA	2	35	35	1-Days,3-Hrs	27			
	ATLANTA	ATLANTA P&DC	2	2,387	425	1-Days,2-Hrs	26			

Last SV NIM to Bundle								
LAST SV NIM SCAN FACILITY	SVC STD	DILCIL	FAILED PIECE COUNT	MALINAN	MEDIAN TOTAL HOURS			
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	2	35	35	1-Days,3-Hrs	27		
ATLANTA	ATLANTA P&DC	2	2,387	425	1-Days,2-Hrs	26		



First Bundle Scan to Second Bundle Scan at First Facility										
FIRST BD FACILITY	FIRST BD FACILITY	SVC STD	PIECE COUNT	FAILED PIECE COUNT	MEDIAN DAYS/HRS	MEDIAN TOTAL HOURS				
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA P&DC	2	350	283	1-Days,11-Hrs	35				

Second Bundle Scan to Third Bundle Scan at First Facility										
FIRST BD FACILITY	FIRST BD FACILITY	SVC STD	PIECE COUNT	FAILED PIECE COUNT	MEDIAN DAYS/HRS	MEDIAN TOTAL HOURS				
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA P&DC	2	29	29	0-Days,1-Hrs	1				

LAST BD FACILITY	FIRST PC FACILITY	DLVRY ZIP-3	PIECE MPE ID	PIECE OP CODE	PIECE	FAILED PIECE COUNT	MEDIAN DAYS/HRS	MEDIAN TOTAL HOURS
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA P&DC	303	AFSM100-001	335	1	1	2-Days,21-Hrs	69
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA P&DC	303	AFSM100-001	336	41	41	2-Days,14-Hrs	62
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-002	538	6	6	2-Days, 10-Hrs	58
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-001	538	14	14	2-Days,9-Hrs	57
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	302	FSFSSC-001	538	1	1	2-Days,3-Hrs	51
ATLANTA	ATLANTA P&DC	303	AFSM100-001	335	12	12	1-Days,7-Hrs	31
ATLANTA	ATLANTA P&DC	302	AFSM100-001	335	2	2	1-Days,7-Hrs	31
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-002	538	591	0	0-Days,23-Hrs	23
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-001	538	1,371	0	0-Days,15-Hrs	15
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-002	538	381	381	0-Days,15-Hrs	15
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-001	538	2	2	0-Days,6-Hrs	6



First Piece Scan to Second Piece Scan at First Facility								
FIRST PC FACILITY	FIRST PC FACILITY	DLVRY ZIP-3	PIECE MPE ID	PIECE OP CODE	PIECE	FAILED PIECE COUNT	DAVS/HPS	MEDIAN TOTAL HOURS
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA P&DC	303	AFSM100-001	335	40	40	0-Days,7-Hrs	7
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-002	538	1	1	0-Days, 3-Hrs	3
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	302	FSFSSC-001	538	9	0	0-Days,2-Hrs	2
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-002	538	668	0	0-Days,2-Hrs	2
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-001	538	1,373	0	0-Days,2-Hrs	2
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-001	538	2	2	0-Days,1-Hrs	1
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	302	FSFSSC-001	538	1	1	0-Days,1-Hrs	1
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-001	538	11	11	0-Days,1-Hrs	1
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-002	538	337	337	0-Days,1-Hrs	1

Second Piece Scan to Third Piece Scan at First Facility								
FIRST PC FACILITY FIRST PC FACILITY DLVRY ZIP-3 PIECE MPE ID PIECE OP CODE COUNT FAILED MEDIAN DAYS/HRS TOTAL HOURS								
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-002	538	1	1	0-Days,2-Hrs	2
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-001	538	2	0	0-Days,1-Hrs	1
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-001	538	2	2	0-Days,1-Hrs	1



First Piece Facility to Second Piece Facility								
FIRST PC FACILITY	SEC PC FACILITY	DLVRY ZIP-3	PIECE MPE ID	PIECE OP CODE	PIECE COUNT	FAILED PIECE COUNT	DAVE/HPS	MEDIAN TOTAL HOURS
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-002	538	1	1	2-Days,0-Hrs	48
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA	302	FSFSSC-001	538	1	1	1-Days,21-Hrs	45
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA	302	FSFSSC-001	538	1	1	1-Days,21-Hrs	45
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-001	538	11	11	1-Days,6-Hrs	30
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-001	538	1	1	1-Days,6-Hrs	30
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA	302	FSFSSC-002	538	2	2	1-Days,5-Hrs	29
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-002	538	42	42	0-Days,10-Hrs	10
ATLANTA P&DC	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-002	538	6	6	0-Days,10-Hrs	10

First Piece Scan to Second Piece Scan at Second Facility								
SEC PC FACILITY	SEC PC FACILITY	DLVRY ZIP-3	PIECE MPE ID	PIECE OP CODE	COUNT	FAILED PIECE COUNT	MEDIAN	MEDIAN TOTAL HOURS
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-001	538	1	1	0-Days,2-Hrs	2
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-001	538	7	7	0-Days,2-Hrs	2
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-002	538	35	35	0-Days,2-Hrs	2
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	302	FSFSSC-001	538	1	1	0-Days,1-Hrs	1
ATLANTA	ATLANTA	303	FSFSSC-002	538	6	6	0-Days,1-Hrs	1





The Surface Visibility system has evolved from solely a transportation management system to a system that enhances mail visibility, service performance and elnduction acceptance and validation.

### Mail Visibility

- Provides near real time container tracking to USPS
- SV enhancement on Oct 31<sup>st</sup> enabled near real time data feed to Mailers

### Service Performance

Provides scan events used to measure service performance for mail

### eInduction

Used to Accept and Validate mailer shipments

# Transportation Management

- Tracks on time Arrivals / Departures
- Measures trailer utilization
- Performs destination validation



# In order to support elnduction and 100% Visibility, the Surface Visibility application will be expanded to support new sites.

# **Qualifiers**

- Non-SV site accepting 20+ containers a day
- Plant or Annex
- Availability of Hardware

### **Prioritization**

- Volume of drop shipments
- Wi–Fi enabled
- Network realignment

# **SV Expansion Qualifiers**

Accept 20+ containers

 82 Non-SV sites accept an average of 20 or more containers per day

Plant or Annex

- 73 are qualifying as a plant or annex
- 9 do not qualify as they are post offices

Scanners, Cradles & Printers

- · Quantity of current IMD's is limited
- Efforts under way to repair broken units and relocate under utilized units



# **SV Expansion Prioritization**

### Volume

- 73 qualifying plants will be prioritized by volume of mail accepted
- Top 10 plants account for 25.9% of volume

### Wi-Fi Enabled

- Sites wi-fi enabled with high volume will be top priority
- High volume plants with no wi-fi will be evaluated for wi-fi installation

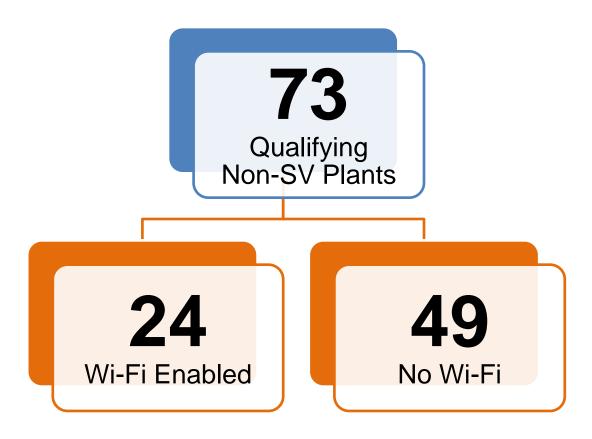
### Network Realignment

- 20 of the 73 plants are under review for network realignment
- Only one (1) is wi-fi enabled



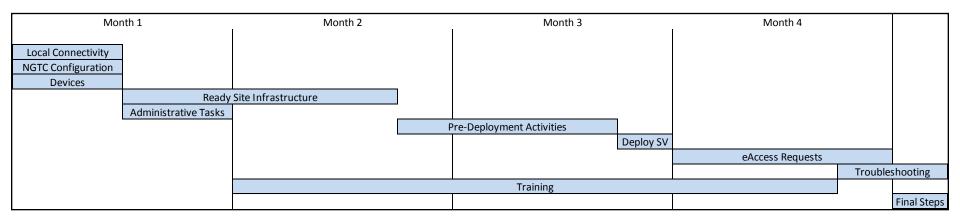
### **SV Current State**

169 Active SV Plants73 Qualifying Non-SV Plants





# SV Site Activation Project Plan: Key Checkpoints & Timeline



- Local Connectivity 10 days
- NGTC Configuration 10 days
- Devices (SV Equipment) 5 days
- Ready Site Infrastructure 30 days
- Administrative Tasks 6 days
- Pre-Deployment Activities 15 days
- Deploy Application Software 1 day
- eAccess Requests 20 days
- Troubleshooting & SV Web Tasks 5 days
- Training 60 day training window (conducted concurrently with other activities)
- Final Steps 1 day



# Expand Surface Visibility (SV) to ten locations

- Accounts for 25.9% of volume entered at non-SV sites
- 6 sites with Wi-Fi activate Feb 2014
- 4 sites without Wi-Fi install Wi-Fi and activate 12 weeks later

Rank by Volume	Non-SV Facility	Avg Dropship Containers/Day	% of Vol Entered at Non-SV Sites	Wi-Fi Enabled?
1	DENVER MAIL PROCESSING ANNEX	200	4.2%	YES
2	ROCHESTER L&DC	169	3.6%	YES
3	WEST PALM BEACH LDC	136	2.9%	YES
4	KNOXVILLE PDC/PCF	127	2.7%	YES
5	SOUTH FLORIDA LDC	126	2.7%	YES
6	LINTHICUM PDC/PDF	120	2.4%	NO
7	NASHUA LDC	113	2.1%	YES
8	GRAND RAPIDS ANNEX	111	1.8%	NO
9	MILWAUKEE PRIORITY ANNEX	108	1.8%	NO
10	AKRON PDC/PDF	105	1.7%	NO



# Recap

- Expansion to top ten (10) sites in process
- Expansion beyond top ten sites will occur based on
  - Scanner availability
  - Wi-fi installation
  - Network realignment



### **Continue piloting in New York**

- Clerks scan 99M when mail arrives at DDU
- Carriers scan top piece of bundle when mail is cased for delivery
- Scan translated as out for delivery

### Performance included in Measurement

Significant decrease in last mile impact

### Next Steps

- Track 99P scans from plant to DU
- Implement nesting for automation equipment
- Improve diagnostics to determine root cause of failures
- National implementation under evaluation





# **Publication Titles Scanned by CFS Sites**

October, 2013

**Total Publication Titles** 746

COA Scan Rates	# of Titles	Percentage
Below 75% Scan Rate	104	13.94%
Below 50% Scan Rate	11	1.47%
Below 25% Scan Rate	3	0.40%
All Titles Average		84.84%

Nixie Scan Rates	# of Titles	Percentage
Below 75% Scan Rate	520	69.71%
Below 50% Scan Rate	161	21.58%
Below 25% Scan Rate	50	6.70%
All Titles Average		67.76%



# **CFS Scan Rates by Area**

October, 2013

Area	COA Scan Rate	COA Volume	Nixie Scan Rate	Nixie Volume
Capital Metro	83.46%	204,370	80.19%	294,863
Eastern	78.56%	135,213	70.14%	146,063
Great Lakes	78.95%	314,163	74.97%	311,275
Northeast	80.46%	196,961	71.62%	237,051
Pacific	82.96%	213,392	76.14%	254,959
Southern	79.18%	355,855	73.63%	609,931
Western	79.87%	378,314	75.22%	387,394



- 1. Discuss/Document SSACS chargeback process.
- 2. Determine the contributing factors.
- 3. Distinguish which chargebacks are invalid.
- 4. Determine root cause of valid chargebacks.
- 5. Identify system issues & provide recommended enhancements.
- 6. Resume SSACS Chargeback billing after issues have been addressed and approved by the workgroup members.

Note: ACS™ Billing Credits were provided based on the analysis performed by the SASP group. Credits mailed by 10/28/2013.

- Limited number of AFSM 100 will be retrofitted to handle UAA flats.
- 18 potential FPARs Sites (locations not yet finalized)
- Carrier Identified Forward (COA) and RTS/Nixie only.
- Target deployment to begin in 2015.
- CFS Operations currently at 23 sites
- Target 8 to 10 CFS Units after FPARS deployment



# RSS (Rich Site Summary)

- RSS feeds currenly on limited pages
  - Intelligent Mail
  - Intelligent Mail Barcode for Mailpieces
  - IMb Tracing
  - ACS
  - Zone Charts



- RSS activated on all pages on December 1
- https://ribbs.usps.gov/ribbs\_rss/homepage.xml

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# **Timeline**

	Announcement	09/05/2013
•	Sample Files Available	09/06/2013
•	Webinar	09/11/2013
•	Jan. Release (new format with exceptions file)	12/15/2013
•	Jan. Release Effective	01/01/2014
•	Price Change Released	01/02/2014
	Price Change Effective	01/26/2014



# Information posted on RIBBS



**Address Quality** Products

**Business Mail** Acceptance

Certifications

Industry Outreach

Major/Minor Release Schedule

MDA Support Center

Move Update

MTAC

Operations

Updates

domestic mail service provided to the Freely Associated States (FAS).

In preparation for the addition of Zone 9. the January 2014 Zone Chart release will be prepared to identify Zone "9" for specific 5-Digit ZIP Codes. To accommodate the proposal, an additional Zone Chart Exceptions File will be incorporated into the Zone Chart product beginning with the January 1, 2014 Zone Chart release.

Zone Charts Order Form

Zone Charts 2012 Update Schedule

Zone Charts 2013 Update Schedule

Zone Chart and Exceptions Test Files (These files are encrypted. Contact labellist.ncsc@usps.gov for the password.)

Zone Chart Exceptions Webinar Presentation

### Getting Started with Intelligent I

New fact sheets are available mailers utilize Full-Service in preparation for the Janu automation requirements. learn more about Full-Service using Container Placards an relationship in electronic doc

A Webinar was held to help prepare customers for the proposed "Zone 9" that will be incorporated into the January 2014 Zone Charts Matrix.



# **NCOALink® PAF Update**

- On October 8<sup>th</sup>, the USPS<sup>®</sup> modified the existing NCOA<sup>Link</sup> Processing Acknowledgement Form (PAF) renewal policy
- The purpose of the Alternative PAF Renewal policy is to assist Licensees in streamlining their processes of maintaining an accurate account of their customers, while adhering to the guidelines set forth in the NCOA<sup>Link</sup> license agreements



# **New Alternative PAF Policy**

- Prior to customers' anniversary dates, Licensees will send PAF renewal notices
- If there are no changes, customers do not have to complete a new PAF. However if any information has changed, customers will need to update their existing PAFs
- A copy of the original PAF and the subsequent annual email, fax or letter sent via US Mail will be kept in Licensees' files for a minimum of six (6) years
- It is the responsibility of the Licensee to ensure a completed and updated PAF is maintained and is on file for each of their customers



# Update on in-home/delivery scans



- Effort under way to capture GPS breadcrumb data from next generation scanning devices and utilize for service measurement and to enhance mail visibility
- GPS breadcrumbs from carrier routes to be captured and correlated with geo-fence data to determine when mail is out for delivery and is delivered.
- Mail delivery events to be used as a "stop-the-clock" for service measurement
  - Measurement results from GPS data will be analyzed and validated against results from IBM reporter "in-home" scans to determine accuracy for measurement
- Provisioning of mail delivery events to Full Service mailers planned